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Sir:

This communication is being sent at the recommendation of a Customer Service Representative of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Applicants have received a Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due for the above-identified patent application dated February 11, 2003. The Notice included a Request for Issue Fee of \$1300 and Publication Fee of \$300 for a total of \$1600. This fee was due by May 12, 2003. Applicants returned Part B-Fees Transmittal of the Notice to the USPTO with a Certificate of Mailing dated May 9, 2003, and have received a return postcard date stamped May 13, 2003, indicating receipt by the USPTO. In the Part B document, applicants authorized payment of only the Publication Fee and not payment of the Issue Fee. Applicants subsequently filed a Request for Continued Examination of the instant application on May 9, 2003.

Applicants have received the second Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due dated June 6, 2003, for the above-identified patent application. The Notice received from the USPTO indicates that the Issue Fee due and the Publication Fee due are both zero dollars. Applicants have checked the deposit account billing statement for PPG Industries, Inc., Deposit Account No. 16-2025, and have



determined that the USPTO has already deducted \$1300 from this account for the Issue Fee for the earlier filed case.

It is acceptable to applicants to have the earlier deducted Issue Fee for the earlier filed application credited to the payment of the Issue Fee for this later filed instant application. Please advise if this is acceptable and what additional documentation, if any, is required by applicants to effect this result.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact applicants' attorney at the telephone number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,

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